

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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December 21, 2000

Timothy Teepell, Treasurer The Madison Project Inc., Fund 119 C Street, SE, Basement Washington, DC 20003

Identification Number:

C00298000

Reference:

Amended Year End Report (1/01/00-12/31/00), dated 7/20/00, July Ouarterly Report (4/1/00-6/30/00) and Amended April Quarterly Report

(1/1/00-3/31/00), dated 7/13/00

Dear Mr. Teepell:

This letter is to inform you that as of December 20, 2000 the Commission has not received your response to our requests for additional information dated November 29, 2000. These notices request information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to these requests (copies enclosed).

An adequate response must be received at the Commission by January 10, 2001. Adequate responses received on or before this date will be taken into consideration in determining whether audit action will be initiated. Requests for extensions of time in which to respond will not be considered. Failure to provide an adequate response by this date may result in an audit of the committee. Failure to comply with the provisions of the Act may also result in an enforcement action against the committee. Any response submitted by your committee will be placed on the public record and will be considered by the Commission prior to taking enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Dominick Ciaraldi on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to

reach the Reports Analysis Division) or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

John D. Gibson

Assistant Staff Director Reports Analysis Division

Enclosures



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Dear Mr. Teepell:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Your calculations for Line 8, Columns A and B appear to be incorrect. FEC calculations disclose this amount(s) to be -\$2,802.78 for both Columns. Please provide the corrected total(s) on the Summary Page.

Furthermore, if the ending cash on hand at the close of this period was indeed a negative amount, please be aware that this suggests you have either overdrawn your account or incurred a debt. If your committee has incurred a debt or obligation, please show a zero balance on Line 8 of the Summary Page and reflect the amount and the nature of the debt on Schedule D and Line 10. 2U.S.C §434(b)(8)

-Schedules A and B of your report disclose earmarked contributions. If the contributions passed through your committee's account (conduit's check), each must be reflected on Lines 11(a)(i) and 23, and itemized on Schedules A and B, respectively, regardless of the amount. If the earmarked contributions were forwarded in the form of the contributor's check, they should be disclosed as memo entries on Schedules A and B. For disclosure purposes, the name and mailing address for each contributor must be provided, and where the contribution exceeds \$200, the individual's occupation and name of employer must also be itemized. Please amend your report accordingly. 11 CFR §110.6(c)(1)(v)

A written response or an amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

Dominick Ciaraldi

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